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1. The former Wehrmacht coastal gun emplacements between Wustrow (P-04) and Hieshagen on the Fischland Peninsula in N. Mecklenburg were taken over by a Russian artillery battery early in June 1947. The battery consisted of two units, each equipped with three hand-trained 150 mm guns.
2. Two generators and two ammunition lockers are located two hundred yards behind the emplacements. There is one range finder in operation. This was used during March 1947 against a minesweeper at sea. On 28 March 1947 a five-day practice shoot was commenced by a Russian battery.
3. Between 2 and 7 July 1947, several trains arrived at the Rostock freight station and unloaded about fifty-five to sixty tanks which moved into garages at the Putlitz Barracks on the corner of the Memel and Tschalkowski Strassen. Some of these tanks had five bogies and mounted an AA machine-gun on the forward part of the turret.
4. Twenty-two heavy tanks remained loaded on the trains and, during the night of 7 July were moved to Güstrow via Laage, and then on to Wismar. At 2300 hours on 9 July they moved back to Marienshe bei Rostock (A-82), arriving 0100 hours on 10 July. They were then discharged and moved to the Fischer Barracks, Rostock, at the corner of the Kopernikus and the Tschalkowski Strassen. Troops accompanying the tanks were young and well-disciplined.

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5. Since 20 July between fourteen and twenty entire streets in Rostock have been evacuated of civilians.

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